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In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Goa Excise Duty Act, 1964 (Act 5 of 1964), the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to further amend the Goa, Daman and Diu Excise Duty Rules, 1964, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Excise Duty (Amendment) Rules, 2013.

(2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. *Amendment of rule 90.*— In rule 90 of the Goa, Daman and Diu Excise Duty Rules, 1964, in sub-rule (4),—

(i) in clause (c), for the figure “:”, the figure “;” shall be substituted;

(ii) after clause (c), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—

“(d) No licence shall be granted to an applicant if the premises in which he proposes to open liquor shop is,—

(i) situated in a residential building, except a building owned by the applicant where no residences other than that of the applicant exist or situated in a market/ commercial complex belonging to local authority/local body/Government/ institution or situated in a licenced hotel/ restaurant/resort, located in a Settlement Zone of the Village Panchayat areas, specified under a relevant Plan notified under the Goa Town and Country Planning Act, 1974 (Act No. 21 of 1975), as in force;

(ii) situated in an industrial zone specified under the relevant Plan notified under the Goa Town and Country Planning Act, 1974 (Act No. 21 of 1975);

(iii) situated in an industrial area declared as notified area under the Goa Industrial Development Act, 1965 (Act No. 22 of 1965);

(iv) situated in a building located in a zone other than commercial zone falling within the limits of a Municipal Council/ Corporation.”;

(iii) in the existing proviso, for the figure “.”, the figure “:” shall be substituted;

(iv) after the existing proviso, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:—

“Provided further that from the date of commencement of the Goa Excise Duty (Amendment) Rules, 2013, the restrictions contained in clause (d) above shall not be applicable for granting renewal of the existing licences, and in respect of applications where the processing

fee is already received, before such commencement, and for occasional licences.”.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Ajit S. Pawaskar, Under Secretary, Finance (R&C).

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